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TAGS: PFOR, EEC, GW, FR

SUBJ: EC PARTICIPATION IN SPOKANE EXPOSITION

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1. UNDER SECRETARY CASEY CALLED IN FRENCH AMBASSADOR  
KOSCIUSKO- MORIZET APRIL 20 TO URGE RECONSIDERATION OF  
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FRENCH GOVT. OPPOSITION TO EC PARTICIPATION IN SPOKANE EXPOSITION. AMBASSADOR RESPONDED HE HAD RECOMMENDED PARTICIPATION FROM BEGINNING BUT FRANCE AND OTHER MEMBER COUNTRIES, WITH POSSIBLE EXCEPTION BRITISH, HAD NOT BEEN VERY ENTHUSIASTIC. THEY MAY HAVE MISJUDGED IMPORTANCE OF EXPOSITION. HE DOUBTED THAT FRENCH GOVERNMENT HAD OFFICIALLY VETOED EC PARTICIPATION AND PROMISED CONVEY UNDER SECRETARY'S POINTS TO PARIS.

2. UNDER SECRETARY STRESSED IMPORTANCE WHICH U. S. PLACES ON EXPOSITION, URGENCY OF ENVIRONMENT THEME, EXPENDITURES BY SPOKANE ORGANIZERS TO COMPLY WITH BIE RULES LAID DOWN BY BIE PRESIDENT ROLAND, SUPPORT BY ALL OTHER EC MEMBERS EXCEPT FRANCE, AND THREAT TO BROAD INTERNATIONAL PARTICIPATION AT SPOKANE WHICH FRENCH VETO RAISES.  
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